



President's Message by Les Smith

November promises to be a month of returns. Our November meeting returns to a greatly updated Le Bistro, with Chef Becky and her culinary students. The program will be a Year in Review slide show and the meeting will also bring the return of Chapter elections. We have a great slate of candidates for Chapter office and we can look forward to what the coming year will bring under their leadership.



November brings other elections, as we all know from countless roadside signs, automated telephone messages, and endless television ads. Do you know where your state legislature candidates stand? The \$50 aircraft fee is soon to become a thing of the past, like drive-in movies and 8 track tapes. What's to become of excise taxes should be on your mind as you consider the candidates who want to represent you in Olympia. You should know these candidates' answers to questions such as "What is your experience with Aviation?", "What is your position on aircraft excise tax?" and "What role do you see for Aviation in the State of Washington?" You have a few weeks left to ask these questions.

Finally, a public "Thank you" to Historic Flight Foundation and John Sessions, for the generosity in offering WPA members free tickets to a Town Hall presentation by Dr. Michael Fopp, on this the 70th anniversary of the Battle of Britain. Most of us know who "the Few" are and why they are called that. Dr. Fopp took us deeper with fascinating insights about that brief but critical time, including the playing of recorded interviews with pilots from both sides of the conflict. Stirringly informative. The lecture was video taped and will be made available for educators across the region. Historic Flight Foundation is a great compliment to Paine Field and is a Friend to the Chapter.

Be safe out there!

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Next Newsletter deadline:
November 15th
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Do you have or know of a
program?
Contact Robert Hamilton
robert@dynonavionics.com

NOTAM:
Toy collection moved
up to November's
Meeting

General Meetings
dates and location on pg 6

6:30 pm door opens
7:00 dinner is served
7:45 meeting
& program



**November 5th Program takes us
back to the Le Bistro for a Year in
Review and Elections.**

See page 4 for nominees and open positions.
We will also be
collecting
unwrapped toys
at the Novem-
ber meeting for
Christmas
House.


Sno-Isle TECH
Skills Center



For the second year in a row toy donations from PAE chapter members goes to Christmas House.

We are collecting early. Please bring your toys to the November meeting or drop them off at a donation barrel located at the FBOs and PAE Airport Office.

Christmas House is a 100% volunteer, non-profit organization in Everett, Washington that provides an opportunity for qualifying, low-income, Snohomish County parents to select free holiday gifts for their children age 0-18.

Many people contribute to the success of Christmas House and are responsible for putting bright smiles on the faces of over 9,500 children in Snohomish County on Christmas morning. Some contribute their time, some donate money or gifts, some hold fundraisers, some volunteer their skills ... the list goes on and on.

www.christmas-house.org/

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October Program Review:

Our last dinner meeting at O'Donnells for the year found us feasting on steak and salmon. Sandy Allen won the free dinner. We were entertained by representatives from Oregon Aero, based in Scappoose, OR. They gave insight into the beginnings of a very successful company that has expanded from their first product, the SoftTop, to products that encompass more than aviation.

Everyone attending who stayed walked away with a gift from Oregon Aero (totalling around \$1,000 in gifts). Portable seat cushions and aviation headset upgrades were given by drawing. Others received mugs and ShockBlockers (shock absorbent insoles). I have been using the ShockBlockers in my walking shoes for years. They are better than their competitor's product.

The story of Oregon Aero began in 1989 with a headache — a headache that Jude Dennis (now Oregon Aero vice president and general manager) experienced whenever she flew with husband Mike Dennis (Oregon Aero founder, president and CEO). Mike set out to tackle Jude's headache problem. After a lot of research, thinking, and experimentation, he created the **SoftTop®** Headset Cushion, put together with leather and sheepskin wool at their kitchen table.

The **SoftTop®** Headset Cushion worked. Jude's headaches disappeared, and Mike and Jude began selling **SoftTop®** Headset Cushions at local fly-ins.

For meeting notes, please go to our web site.

submitted by Stephanie Allen



Greetings from the dry lakebed at Edwards Air Force Base (Mojave California).

Today October 1st, 2010, Edwards' Test Flight Nation held its 1st Civilian "Fly-In" to bring the flying community together, and to promote safety of flying in and around Military restricted airspace.

It was a real pleasure to be here and to see all these (100) civilian air planes parked out here on the dry lakebed. Military personnel said it was a first, and a beautiful sight to see so many planes on the dry lakebed. There were over 2000 applications filed to fly here, but only 100 were privileged to be drawn by lottery to attend. The farthest was from Connecticut.

The dry lakebed was very interesting to witness firsthand (see my photo link below) as planes touched down on this "holy grail" of air strips. It was like standing on the "top of Everest" to be here for many who attended, myself included. The lakebed varied in consistency in size of the dried patches of clay/dirt, but the texture was similar overall. There sure is plenty of room out here for just about anything.

General David J. Eichhorn (Commander of the base) led off this event with a wonderful history of Edwards along with multimedia presentation of Edwards' best test flight program, the "X-15", which still holds the fastest (Mach 6.7) and highest (370,000 feet) for any air/space plane to ever fly.

Later, we all had a presentation on how to best navigate and operate aircraft in and around Military restricted airspace, such as Edwards. It had some good points and great info.

Lunch was then served, and then all had a chance to meet and greet, look at airplanes, along with some fly-by's, with the F-22 breaking the sound barrier. Oh, I know I'm in aviation heaven now! Great Stuff.

Click here for photos: http://www.kodakgallery.com/gallery/creativeapps/slideShow/Main.jsp?sourceId=533754321803&cm_mmc=eMail--Share--Photos--Sharee

Edwards, Flight Test Nation website: <http://www.flighttestnation.com/index.html>

Happy Flying,

Bill Gardner



**Safety Seminars 8am to 11 am at EVCC
Bldg 80, Paine Field
see calendar page 6 for date**



The maintenance Seminar for November will be on Weight and balance. We will go through the process of actually weighing two airplanes in the shop.

The December seminar will be on Maintenance of windshields, paint and corrosion control

**Saturday Fly-outs - Last Month Friday
Harbour**





Your nominating committee:

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Your Nominating Committee and the Chapter Board are pleased to present a slate of candidates for election to the 2011 Chapter Officers.

The voting for 2011 Officers will take place at the November 5th General Meeting. Although these candidates are presented to you as unopposed, the floor will be opened for additional nominations that evening. Please make every effort to attend the November meeting. Your vote is valuable to the Chapter!



Section 1 – President. The President shall be the Chief Executive Officer of the Chapter and shall preside at all meetings of the Chapter. He shall, with the assistance of the outgoing President, submit a report of the operations of his Chapter for the fiscal year to the State President of the Washington Pilots Association at their first regular meeting each year. He shall be an ex-officio member of all standing committees of the Chapter, sign all official documents, counter-sign all checks unless waived by the President, appoint all committees, and perform such duties as are required of this office.

Nominee: Dave Wheeler



Section 2- Vice President. In the absence or disability of the President, the Vice President shall exercise all powers and perform all duties of the Office of the President. The Vice President shall act as parliamentarian at all Chapter Meetings.

Nominee: Steve Waterman



Section 3 – Secretary. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Chapter to keep the minutes of all the meetings. The Secretary shall attend to the giving and serving of all notices of the Chapter, handle all correspondence, and is custodian of all documents and records, and shall keep a current list of all members. **Nominee: Karen Reid**



Section 4 – Treasurer. The Treasurer shall notify all members when dues are payable and receive all monies. The Treasurer shall notify the Membership Standing Committee Chairperson who will notify the applicant for membership of their election or rejection. The Treasurer shall give receipts for all monies and deposit same in the name of the Chapter in such repository as shall be selected by the members. The Treasurer shall keep correct records of the financial affairs of the Chapter, making monthly reports of said finances, have custody of all funds belonging to the Chapter and disburse same as authorized by the members. The Treasurer shall collect all annual dues and issue proper receipts to the members. He shall remit to the State Secretary or Treasurer within thirty days after receipt, appropriate dues together with the current name and address of each member paying dues and a statement as to whether each member's dues are for a new or renewal of membership.

Nominees: Greg Bell

Section 5 – Chapter Directors. Chapter Directors, by nature of their three year term, are to provide direction and continuity to the Board of Directors. The Chapter Directors, elected by the members, and the outgoing President acting as a Chapter Director, shall each be assigned by the newly elected President to act as Chairperson pro tem for one of the four Standing Committees. (See Article VIII - Committees) **Nominee: Shane Morgan**



Call for Nominations for 2010 Awards to be presented at the 2010 Christmas Party.
Pilot of the Year, Sponsor of the Year, Sparkplug of the Year, The Wright Stuff.
Qualifications are in the October Newsletter and on-line in the By-Laws.

Paine Field Chapter WPA

Christmas Party

Friday, December 10th

6:00 PM No Host Bar, 7:00 PM Dinner
ANTHONY'S HOMEPORT EDMONDS

456 Admiral Way Edmonds, WA

Anthony's HomePort Edmonds offers an unparalleled view of
Washington ferry boats gliding across the Puget Sound

\$38 per person (limited to 60 attendees)

Prepayment required by December 1st

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beurre blanc

Top Sirloin: Chargrilled nine-ounce Double R Ranch hand-cut sirloin

Coconut Prawns and Steak: Ocean prawns covered with crispy coconut paired with a chargrilled
Double R Ranch sirloin steak

Vegetarian Option- Pasta Primavera: Fresh fettuccine tossed with seared mushrooms, zucchini, snap
peas, artichoke hearts, sundried tomatoes and herb cream sauce. Finished with toasted hazelnuts and
Parmesan cheese

Contact Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Attendees Names and Entre Choice

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Make Checks Payable to WPA-PAE. Please complete form
and mail to:

Jan Kinnier 10128 240th Place SW, Edmonds, WA 98020,
206-546-3634



Please bring a wrapped Christmas ornament to the Christmas Party for
a fun ornament exchange activity. (Can be aviation related- but does not have to
be) Thank you for participating

Sno-Isle Vocational Skill Center
9001 Airport Road
Everett, WA 98201
 Catered dinner \$13 at 7 P.M.,
 Meeting & Program@ 7:45 PM
RSVP required for Dinner by November 1st
Wpa.painedinner@hotmail.com or
 call 425-388-5125 ext 6

Year in Review & Elections
Nov. 5th

Calendar of Chapter Events

- November 4th Board Meeting
- November 5th General Meeting Election and Year in Review
- November 6th Maintenance Seminar
- December 4th Maintenance Seminar
- December 9th Board Meeting
- December 10th Christmas Party @ Anthony's
- January 6th Board Meeting
- January 7th General Meeting. Dave Waggoner's annual report on Paine Field

Safety tip of the month

What: WASAR Mountain Flying Seminar
When: Saturday November 13, 08:00 - 17:00
Where: 7300 Building, 7300 Perimeter Rd. S., Seattle.

Facebook Event Page: <http://www.facebook.com/event.php?eid=160548733955785>

As a Washington State pilot, you've almost certainly been faced with the choice of hopping over the North Cascades, taking a sightseeing tour near Mt. Rainier or visiting the Olympic range.

At this seminar you'll learn how to recognize and avoid potentially dangerous pitfalls, the basics of mountain weather patterns and the fundamentals of flying safely in and around the beautiful mountains of our state.

Bringing over two decades of experience, the seminar will be taught by former Washington Pilot of the Year and mountain pilot extraordinaire, Long Nguyen.

Northwest Aviation Center now located at the Arlington Airport has immediate openings in the shop for your Annual Inspection or other maintenance that you may require. Call 425 238-7696 for an appointment and we'll get you right in. Anything from an oil change to an engine change we can fix you up. Done the right way, for the right price.

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Everett, WA 98204
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 ads will run for 2 months unless otherwise requested

We need you! PAE chapter, the largest chapter in WPA, needs you to make a difference, participate. Executive and committee positions are open. Are you a VP or Director qualified or in the rough? Want to chair a committee? See contacts on page 2.

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